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## POLITICAL AND MISCELLANEOUS

### STATE TICKET.

For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court.  
**CLAUDIUS B. GRANT,**  
Of Houghton.

For Regents of the University.  
**CHARLES S. DRAPEL,** of Saginaw,  
**WILLIAM J. COCKER,** of Lenawee.

From Dickinson to Wanamaker is a big stride towards reform in the post-office department. The business of that branch of the government will hereafter be run on business principles.—*Philadelphia Press.*

Democratic financing shows the same ear-marks in Indiana that it exhibits everywhere else. Since 1852, the cash in the treasury of that state has decreased from nearly \$700,000, to about \$25,000, while the state debt has increased from \$971,825 to \$2,581,000; and, worse than all, a new loan of over \$2,000,000 will be needed to meet the expenses of the next two years. Bourbon rule is a costly luxury to the Indians.—*Blade.*

It is a fact worth noting that, if the democratic papers are to be believed, it is always democratic voters who are ready to be bought. Editorials have appeared in all democratic papers of any importance since the November election charging the republican party with buying votes. If the democratic party really be made up of men ready to sell their votes, it is the best possible argument against entrusting the party with power.—*Blade.*

Advices just received from Samoa show that there was no basis for the sensational rumor of an engagement between the United States man-of-war Nipsie and the German corvette Olga. Far from this, the German officials in the island have entirely given up their aggressive policy. Unusual tranquillity prevails throughout the island. Mataafa, however, has a force of troops estimated to be 6,000 strong. Tamasese's army consists of about 700 men. The men of German, American and English, still remain at Apia, ready for any emergency that may rise.

It is not to be lost sight of that General Goff, the republican candidate for governor of West Virginia, was elected upon the face of the returns. This important fact renders all the democratic efforts to keep him out of office, except by contesting his election, irregular, disorganized and disgraceful. The theatre refused to declare who has been chosen, as it legally should have done, and here we have a strong presumptive evidence that the democratic claim, that General Goff was elected by fraud cannot be sustained. General Goff is not a man to relinquish any of his rights in this matter. All the complications that may ensue are directly traceable to the course of the democratic party.—*Blade.*

It is doubtful if any inaugural address ever spoken in Washington met with such a general chorus of praise as greets President Harrison's address. The commendation comes from democratic and independent newspapers, as well as from republican sources. A document must be of a high order of merit to receive such generous applause. There are, it is true a few organs that endeavor to pick flaws, but as these were doubtless inspired by what the New York Post calls the "average editor" and the "ignorant editor," they can be allowed to vent their spleen in silence. Gen. Harrison spoke to the intelligent, conservative, common sense people of the country, and those that listened were not disappointed in his words. No stronger proof could be given that they are satisfied with his utterances than the fact that even responsible political opponents can find room for capping.—*Philadelphia Press.*

Does it seem possible that only one hundred years ago, when Washington was inaugurated in New York the first President of the United States, that the city was then a small, sixty-times smaller than at the present day, or having only about thirty thousand inhabitants? How New York City looked at that time, and the costume of the residents, are graphically told and beautifully illustrated in *I TO ROSE'S MONTHLY MAGAZINE* for April, which has just arrived. At this time, when the Centennial of the Inauguration of Washington is about to be celebrated, will be greatly appreciated, and those who purchase the April number of this popular magazine will be repaid, not only this, but by numerous other attractions, not the least of which are the beautifully illustrated article on "Birds," by Olive Thorne Miller; "Young Japan at Play," which will give many hints to the children for new games; "Homes with Two Servants," which contains suggestions for the management of servants; and there are numerous other equally interesting subjects. Published by W. JENNINGS' DEMOREST, 15 East 14th Street, New York.

## WASHINGTON LETTER

[From Our Regular Correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, Mar. 15, '59.  
Gen. Harrison's second week in the White House differs little from the first; there is daily the same crowd of office-seekers and their backers, up stairs in the executive office, and down in the East Room, though that call merely to pay their respects. Only a few appointments have as yet been made, owing largely to the difficulty of reconciling the conflicting claims of the many applicants, but those that have been made seem to have given general satisfaction to the party leaders here, and have been promptly confirmed by the Senate.

The president has signed an order extending the time within which the Railway Mail Service shall be brought under the operation of the civil service law, from March 15, to May 1, '59. The extension was made at the request of Civil Service Commissioner Lyman, who says the time asked for was necessary. Postmaster-General Wanamaker will doubtless take advantage of the extension to rid the service of hundreds of incompetent men that are now in it.

It has been a long time since family prayers were held every morning in the White House, but they were begun with Gen. Harrison's first morning, and will be continued as long as he remains there.

Senator Stewart's resolution for the purchase for coinage of \$4,000,000 silver bullion per month was again offered, but was laid on the table.

The Special Committee on Pacific Railroads will start for Chicago April 6, on a tour of inspection over those roads. The trip is expected to take about seven weeks. The members of the committee are Senators Frye, Dawes, Ilcock, Davis, Morgan, Butler and Hearst.

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registered letters, all containing applications for office in one day this week, and his republican colleagues are but little behind him in their mail matter.

Strely everybody cannot hold office, not at one time anyway, therefore brethren, why would not this be a good time to stop writing to your member of Senator?

Our photographer is determined to leave us the first week in April.

Mr. Henry Davenport has been looking around to see if he could get a shoemaker to locate in our midst and occupy a commodious house, just fitted for the purpose.

Uncle Sam is only \$7,500 a year, has been enforcing the law against some of the big railroads in a manner that was not at all to their liking. The aforesaid big railroads have formed an association, and have employed Commissioner Walker for three years at a salary of \$25,000 a year.

The question very naturally arises, did the railroads agree to pay this \$75,000 in order to obtain Mr. Walker's services or do they propose paying it to get Mr. Walker off the board of Inter-State Commerce Commissioners?

M. S. Dilley intends to move his large dwelling from its present location to his lot adjoining those of Mr. Davenport, which will be quite an improvement.

Mrs. and Mrs. S. W. Gordon who have been visiting relatives in this place since last October, expect to return to their old home in Wisconsin, some time during April.

C. W. Wight, of Grayling, was in town last Saturday, on business.

## Center Plains Simbeams.

Not very good sleighing at present. H. J. Marsh has traded his farm in this vicinity for land near Detroit and, we understand, will move there the first or middle of April.

Mrs. Truman Heath has moved from her farm to Mr. Windsor Spice's homestead, where she intends staying this summer.

Time to set your hens if you want early chickens.

School commences in Dist. No. 2, Grayling township, next Monday, with W. G. Marsh for teacher. He and family will occupy the house formally occupied by Martin Johnston.

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Spring has come again, and the voice of the turkey gobbler is heard through our land.

Everybody here about seems to have plenty of feed and stock is looking remarkable well.

Farmers are busy getting out fence posts and wood.

Metcalfe, the ex-drayman, has returned and is a full fledged mossback once more.

Everybody is getting excited over the oil that is beneath us. We hope this is no sham, and that everybody will have an oil well before Fall.

Spring election is close at hand and those wanting office are showing up.

Wheat and grass is looking top as far as can be seen.

M. Wilson has finished his logging job on section 17 and broken camp.

There will be a social hop at the Cheney hall on Friday, March 22d. Everybody is cordially invited to attend. Supper at Cheney House.

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## Frederic News Items.

Mr. Albert Kerstans of Otsego Lake, is clerking in the store of Mr. Watt, in place of Mr. D. Hutchins.

Our Spring election is beginning to call out the world to candidates for the various offices.

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Mr. Henry Davenport has been looking around to see if he could get a shoemaker to locate in our midst and occupy a commodious house, just fitted for the purpose.

Some anonymous scribbler has been sending letters through the post office at this place, which is certainly a low and very mean practice.

There have been several churches represented here in the past, eight or nine years, but, factional differences

of anything beneficial to the community at large.

M. S. Dilley intends to move his large dwelling from its present location to his lot adjoining those of Mr. Davenport, which will be quite an improvement.

They would not offer to pay it. It is just such episodes as this that causes the number of people who favor the government's controlling to make places for the new members.

The Canadian question is one that will not down. It is continually cropping out in unexpected places, for instance, when Sen. Payne proposed in the Senate that the select committee "on relations with Canada" be dropped as being usurpary of the functions of the executive, he stirred it up in a lively manner. Sen. Hoar in defending the existence of the committee, said: "It is useless to be blind to the fact that there is a large and growing body of men in Canada that desire annexation to the United States."

Sen. Cullom favored the committee and hoped that its investigations would result in making the two countries one. Sen. Sherman favored the committee and thought that if the countries remained separate, peace

would be almost impossible. Sen. Edmunds and Hale were willing to vote for the committee, but did not propose to commit themselves as favoring annexation.

Senator Morrill had no objection to the committee, but he regarded the present agitation as preposterous, and did not believe Canada had ever been more loyal to Great Britain than at the present time.

What the opinions of the democratic senators were, remains a secret.

Bucklin's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by N. H. TRAVER.

## Their Business Booming.

Probably no one thing has caused such a general revival of trade at Dr. N. H. TRAVER'S Drug Store as his giving away to his customers of so many free trial bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption.

His trade is simply enormous in this very valuable article from the fact that it always cures and never disappoints.

Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup, and all throat and lung diseases quickly cured. You can test it before buying by getting a trial bottle free, large size \$1. Every bottle warranted.

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The transition from long, lingering and painful sickness to robust health marks an epoch in the life of the individual. Such a remarkable event is treasured in the memory and good health has been attained is gratefully blessed. Hence it is that so much is heard in praise of Electric Bitters. So many feel they owe their restoration to health to the use of the Great Alternative and Tonic. If you are troubled with any disease of kidneys, Liver, or Stomach, of long or short standing you will surely find relief by use of Electric Bitters. Sold at 50c. and \$1 per bottle at N. H. TRAVER'S Drug Store.

Write him a postal card. Those who desire that the half-page excursion from this place to Detroit during floral exhibition week, April 3, 4 and 5, should be so arranged that it will not be necessary to return the same day, but allow of a two or three days stop-over, should send a postal card to this effect at once to Mr. George E. King the secretary of the R. R. Passenger Agents Association, at his office in the Adams Building, Chicago, Ill. This 4-days exhibition will be the most notable floral event that has ever occurred in Michigan. It is for the benefit of 21 of the city charities, who will share equally in the results.

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# NEW FIRM! ATTENTION!

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BOOKS, STATIONERY, CONFECTIONERY & CUTLERY

PEDAGOGUE.

The Watson county option bill was favorably reported by the house committee yesterday, and we hope it will not be long before it becomes a law. Great care should be taken lest amendments be added to which the official interpreters of the constitution might object. The principle recognized in this bill is the right one and should prevail. The dominant political party of the state stands squarely committed to it and it has many friends in the opposition ranks.—*Detroit Tribune.*

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BEST BRANDS OF CIGARS AND TOBACCO,

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Prescriptions carefully compounded at all hours.

C. J. WHITNEY & Co.'s

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Any one presenting this advertisement at our store, 40 Fort Street West, (a few steps West of City Hall) will be presented with a choice piece of Sheet Music, price from 30 to 40 cents. While here, ask for anything you want in

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Merchandise. We have placed on our counters several thousand copies of Sheet Music and Music Books which we offer at cost.

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We want you to see the elegant new Upright 72 Octave Piano which we sell for \$175.00.

We want you to subscribe for our Song Journal, One Dollar per year, including a premium of One Dollar's worth of sheet music.

We want you to see the largest stock of Pianos, Organs, Sheet Music and Musical Merchandise in the West.

We want you to make your headquarters.

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No. 40, Fort St., West, DETROIT, MICH.

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I have received a complete stock of the latest and fin-

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Dry Goods, Clothing,

HATS, CAPS, &c.,

EVER BROUGHT TO GRAYLING!

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I. C. HANSON, Local Editor.

THURSDAY, MARCH 21, 1889.

## LOCAL ITEMS.

Salling, Hanson & Co.'s Price List

### Corrected Weekly!

Oats No. 2 white, per bushel, \$1.04.

Hay, No. 1 dry, per ton, \$18.00.

Raw feed, No. 1, per ton, \$16.00.

Bran, per ton, \$17.00.

May flour, roller patient, per barrel, \$6.00.

May flour, roller patient, per barrel, \$5.50.

Gold Dust flour, per barrel, \$6.75.

Excelsior flour, per barrel, \$4.45.

Extra mess beef, per barrel, \$7.75.

Mess pork, per barrel, \$3.75.

Refined lard, per pound, 15cts.

Ham, sugar cured, per pound, 13cts.

Breakfast bacon, per pound, 12cts.

Cured pork, per pound, 7cts.

Rib roast, per pound, 7cts.

Cheesecake butter, per pound, 28 Dairy 22.

Fresh eggs, per dozen, 18cts.

O. G. Java ground, per pound, 35cts.

Mocha, ground, per pound, 40cts.

G. C. & Co.'s Mexican coffee, per lb., 25cts.

B. C. & Co.'s Alaska coffee, per lb., 28cts.

Tees, green, per pound, 15 to 18cts.

Sugar, extra C, per pound, 75cts.

Sugar, granulated, per pound, 95cts.

Sugar, cut loaf, per pound, 10cts.

Sugar, powdered, per pound 10cts.

Oil, waterwhite, per gallon, 15cts.

Beans, hand picked, per bushel, \$2.00.

Peas, green, per bushel, \$1.00.

Syrup, sugar, per gallon, 50cts.

N. O. molasses, per gallon, 60cts.

Molasses, per gallon, 30cts.

Potatoes, per bushel, 40cts.

Carrots, per bushel, 40cts.

New goods at H. Joseph's.

Over 500 pairs of shoes just arrived at Bell's, and more coming.

BORN.—To Mrs. J. F. Hum, Friday, March 15, a son.

The largest assortment of dress goods at H. Joseph's.

Jas Hartwick returns to his studies at Detroit, this week.

Trunks and valises, a big line of them, at H. Joseph's.

J. M. Finn returned to the gold fields last Friday.

Fresh vegetables can be found at the Meat Market of C. W. Wight.

Harvey J. Marsh, of Otsego Lake, was in town yesterday.

Five thousand grades of white goods at H. Joseph's.

Rev. Wm. Putnam, of Frederic, preached in Gaylord last Sunday.

Lemons and Oranges at 15 cents per dozen, at the store of S. H. & Co.

R. P. Forbes is getting the lumber on his lots on Michigan Avenue for a residence.

The Pioneer Store is the place to purchase your sugar at reduced prices.

J. Cowell sold a lot on Brink's addition, to Henry Stephens who will erect a dwelling.

Try a box of S. H. & Co.'s Potato Chips. They are fine.

John Cowell has bought the Nichols place on Peninsular Avenue, of A. Taylor.

If you want a ribby necktie go to H. Joseph's.

Geo. L. Alexander was suddenly taken very sick last week, but is now convalescent.

For a box of Quaker Oats, go to the store of S. H. & Co.

Wm. Woodburn has purchased the residence of Wm. London, on Cedar Street, block 3.

A stock of fresh Vaccine, at Traver's Drug Store.

E. W. Vandyn has bought the residence of Archie Walker, which he erected last Fall.

Silk, plush and all kinds of Silks you will find at H. Joseph's.

Joh London has purchased Mr. Houck's place, corner of Cedar and Lake Streets.

J. S. Harder has sold one of his houses on Chestnut Street to Homer Jacobs.

Come and see the new Jet trimmings at H. Joseph's.

Mrs. P. Kelley has gone to Mount Pleasant on a short visit to friends in that city.

Horses, ponies and cows for sale at W. S. Chalker's barn, Grayling, Mich.

Found, a fine gold ring, which can be had on identification and payment for this notice.

A good yoke of heavy oxen for sale, cheap. Enquire at this office.

J. J. Coventry, of Maple Forest, was in town last Tuesday, being the first time since the November election.

The F. W. Wheeler Co., of Bay City, expect to build 14 boats this season, valued at \$1,000,000.

Do you know who has the finest stock of clothing in this county? Why, of course! H. Joseph has.

Wm. H. Smith and Wm. Sherman, of Maple Forest, were in town last Saturday and made us a pleasant call.

For fresh butter, eggs, etc., go to the new Meat Market of Comer & Taylor.

John London had one days hauling of logs hung up when the snow went off, on his job west of town.

Oranges, lemons, cocaconas and bananas at the market of Comer & Taylor.

J. F. Harris, Esq., manager of the Toledo Reporter and Magnet, was in Grayling yesterday, looking up business and made a pleasant call.

Supervisor Metcalf was in town yesterday.

Hats! Hats!! Hats!!! by the carload, of all styles, from 50 cents upward, at H. Joseph's.

J. S. Harder sold the C. W. Harder house on Maple Street, yesterday to S. McIntyre.

Anything you want in my line I will be pleased to show you—H. Joseph.

The shingle mill machinery has been taken out of the planting mill and is being placed in its new quarters, with additions and improvements.

Remember that the Pioneer Store always carries a full line of Stoves and Hardware.

Judge Love has bought the Kilborn place, on Peninsular Avenue, for a home. One of the most desirable places in town.

Ladies if you want to be comfortable, procure a pair of the "Common Sense" shoes, for sale by O. J. Bell.

M. S. Hartwick is home again and his looks betoken a pleasant winter in the Southern States where he has been roaming for pleasure.

The Pioneer Store is the place to find a nice line of California and standard brands of Canned Goods.

Chas. Ingerson drew his last log on the last snow. He figured his job close but had to draw the sleighs back in the mud.

Go to the store of S. H. & Co., for Boy's suits. They have just received a large stock at very low prices.

Messrs. Mantz Bros. put in Portage Lake, for Blodgett & Byrne, 3,500,000 feet in 55 days, with 7 teams, and had a hall of 24 miles.

Wanted a school teacher for Dist. No. 6, South Branch township, Crawford County. Apply to Dr. S. Revell, director, Roscommon, Mich.

Edward Davis, who has made his home at Sanderson's Hotel, for a long time, died there on Saturday. The body was taken to Detroit for interment.

S. H. & Co. are giving great bargains in Men's overcoats, suits and boy's clothing, which they are selling at cost.

MARRIED—On Friday, the 15th inst., by Rev. J. W. Taylor, SAMUEL R. ZELIKER, of the Grayling Eating House, and Miss KATIE E. NASBETT. No cards.

Before you purchase Rubbers, Arcities, Lumbermen's Hose, Socks or Underwear, examine prices at the Pioneer Store.

Boring for oil, gas or coal, will be commenced at Roscommon about May 1st. The agent of the company says they will likely put well near Grayling. "So note it be."

Men's and Boy's shoes, both Congress and Lace, of all grades and prices, can be procured at the Boot and Shoe store of O. J. Bell.

The Northern Lumberman seems to be rather peripetetic, as it has been re-located in Gaylord. Charlie remembers the old adage:—"A rolling stone gathers no moss."

O. J. having bought the stock of Boots and Shoes of C. O. McCullough, respectfully asks a share of the patronage of the citizens of Grayling and vicinity.

Jerry Sherman was in town last Saturday and expressed himself perfectly satisfied with the past winter, and with the future prospects of Crawford County.

What can I buy a cheap suit of clothes? Why, go to H. Joseph's. There is where you will find the largest and best assortment of clothing you ever saw in your life.

And now some son-of-a-cheese-box has made a sneak with a pair of goggles of ours. We know the culprit and he had better return them.—Northern Mail.

All lumbermen in want of Boots and Shoes, should enquire for the "Key Log" river boots and shoes. They are hand made and manufactured by Parks & Hazard, Janestown, N. Y. For sale by O. J. Bell.

Two prominent citizens of Frederic got into a squabble one day last week. Both were cripples and after considerable a scuffle, they were parted by another cripple. Three of a kind takes the cake.

M. Hartwick, of Grayling, who has spent the winter traveling through Florida, Mississippi, Louisiana, Tennessee, North and South Carolina, arrived in the city yesterday on his return home.—Bay City Times.

Main J. Connine, of Oscoda, while here on business last week, made the mail office a pleasant call. He was here looking after the interest of the Loud Co., in a lien suit before Justice Deyarmond.—Northern Mail.

We clip the following from the Big Creek correspondence of the Northern Mail: "Wild animals and large birds seem to be quite plenty in these parts, as the foreman of a camp in this town was caught by a large owl and roughly handled by the big brute." That foreman must be the son-of-a-cheese-box that swooped the goggles of the editor of the Mail, and was wearing them at the time of the supposed attack.

Most editors are fond of doing good deeds, but Mio. Oscoda county, has one who is a positive dandy in philanthropy. His name is J. J. Richkern, and he is secretary of a local life insurance company which issues individual policies as high as \$10,000.—Bay City Times.

Lumbermen are beginning to talk about the hardwood interests in this state. The fact is that we have that of the finest quality, and in quantity sufficient to meet the demand for years to come. As a marketable product it is bound to come to the front.—H. Joseph.

Every Saturday evening I will make a special sale of Roasts, Stews, Soups and Bolling Pieces of fresh meats. Come and see the bargains. To save salting, I will make special prices of above sorts. All which are guaranteed to be prime stock. C. W. WIGHT.

Mrs. Easton has opened a Laundry on Cedar Street, and is prepared to do all work that may be entrusted to her in good style. She uses no acids or any kind of clothes washed by her will wear longer than if sent to Bay City or Detroit. Give her a call.

The Arenac Independent, official paper of Arenac county, which has always been published at Omer, has gone bug and baggage to Standish, and will hereafter be published at that place. And it is rumored by good authority that this is the first step towards moving the county seat to that place. There is something in the wind sure.—Detroit News.

A resolution passed the house last week to allow Hanford H. Hawley, of Terry, Shawassee county, to receive his \$100 enlistment bounty from the state treasury, if the state auditors, after investigation, deem the claim a

just one. This opens an avenue for hundreds of soldiers who are entitled to a like bounty, but who have been unable to secure it heretofore.

The AVALANCHE says: "Mrs. John Staley, of Grayling, has a copy of the Old Soldier, a paper published at Springfield, Ill., Feb. 15th, 1840, giving a biographical sketch of Gen. W. H. Harrison, and his proclamation re-establishing the United States government in Michigan. Mrs. Staley will send the paper to President Harrison as a memento." She is one of those who do not believe this old soldier business is played out.—Det. Journal.

O. J. Bell came home Saturday morning from the Upper Peninsula, having closed his lumbering for the present, after a successful season. He will probably put in a small summer job.

J. C. Hanson went down to Roscommon, Saturday noon, returning on the evening train with Mrs. Hanson, who was enroute from her visit in Indiana. She stopped at Detroit for a day's visit with friends, on the way.

Mrs. Mary Hubbard has opened a Steam Laundry in the building on the bank of the river, below the Round House, where she is prepared to do all laundry work entrusted to her care.

J. M. Franks got through with his work in camp for the winter last Tuesday. He will move his family back on the farm, and in about ten days commence work for the summer for the same firm.

Wednesday afternoon conductor Jackson's way car was thrown off the track into the ditch on the Plumbine Branch, and smashed up a little and the brakeman was thrown in the air but fortunately escaped injury.—Bay City Times.

Among the callers at the AVALANCHE office during the week, we remember the following from out of town: John Ward, of Frederic, last Friday. M. S. Dilley was here for two or three days looking after his pulp wood business, which has become a permanent industry along this part of the line.

Justice Taylor's Court, yesterday, E. Maloney, drunk, \$5.00 and costs for 10 days; John Gunis, ditto, both went up. Wm. Robinson, resisting and assaulting an officer, examination waived, but fixed at \$500.00. Committed.

MARRIED—At Tawas City, Thursday, March 14th, by Rev. W. C. Phillips, S. H. HEMPESTAD, Esq., of Grayling, and Miss LILLIE O'NEAL, of Tawas.

The happy pair are "At Home" in Grayling.

The Ogemaw Co. Herald says: "Roscommon, Ogemaw, Foster and the outside world is furnishing West Branch with many new residents. People do love a live town." That is the reason West Branch mechanics come to Grayling to work during the summer.

Potatoes were sold in Cadillac this week, for prices as low as fourteen cents a bushel. Fourteen cents doesn't seem a fair compensation for hauling them to town, to say nothing of sorting seeds, planting, cultivating, exterminating bugs, and digging.—Kalkaska.

The G. A. R. encampment at Bay City was especially pleasant to Lt. J. Jones, who met 27 members of his old regiment, the 2d Mich. Cav., among whom was Mr. Russell A. Gilmer, now Gen., and the comrade who carried him from the field when he was last wounded.

J. Gallimore tried to take a little boat ride with his team Wednesday, and he says he didn't get a drink at all. He was only trying to turn around on the low place back of the warehouse that ought to have been filled up years ago. It cost Jimmie a horseshoe.—Roscommon News.

Rev. Edwards and wife wish to kindly apologize to their many friends in Grayling, whom they were unable to visit at their homes, as it would, have taken more time than they could spare from home to have visited them all

## AN OPEN QUESTION.

**I**Harrison a Descendant of Pocahontas?

It is popularly believed that President Harrison is descended from Pocahontas and that the well-known author, Lydia Maria Child, General Thomas Harrison, who was executed in 1600.

Pocahontas, daughter of Powhatan, married a Frenchman for the early white settlers, and died in 1617 at London, aged 20 years. The story of how she saved the life of Captain John Smith, who had been captured and condemned to death by her father—how she, on several occasions, made known to the Indians their错误 when about to be attacked, and how she interceded with the early history of America. Her subsequent marriage with John Rolfe—an Englishman—her removal to England, from which country, from the wealth of his wife's family, Virginia, childless—descendant—is the basis of the opinion that President Harrison is one of her descendants.

Whether this be true or not, it is, however, well known that President Harrison is a descendant of a noted family, distinguished alike in peace and war. The name of Harrison is already indelibly stamped upon the pages of American history, for General William Henry Harrison, ninth President of the United States—was the grandfather of Gen. Ben Harrison.

The election of another member of the Harrison family is but another proof of the prevailing popularity of the party, and return to healthy administration of public affairs so characteristic of the earlier years of government. A similar distress has been met with a variety of various ways, which mention in particular can be made of the prevailing demand for those old-time preparations which were so successfully employed in the prevention and cure of the diseases with which frequented the early log-cabin homes.

After much inquiry and research, a noted manufacturer has prepared the original miasma and disease preventer, and nostrum under the name of "Warner's Log Cabin Remedies," the public is possessed of those well-known preparations for the cure of coughs, colds, consumption, in its early stages, colic, disorders of the heart, dyspepsia, acidity, and other diseases.

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## Moral and Ta'e.

"See here, Tommy, don't you know it's wrong to tie that kettle to the kite?"

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"Well, I assure you, it is. Now, to point a moral—"

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## TASCOTT NOT CAUGHT YET.

An Eight Thousand Mile Chase After a Man Proves Frustrous.

A. J. Stone and party, who for three weeks scoured the Canadian dominion and a number of Western States and Territories in search of William D. Tascott, the alleged murderer of Amos J. Snell, have returned to Chicago empty-handed. The securing party consisted of Mr. Stone, two detectives, and Frank Miller, an old schoolmate of Tascott, who went along to identify him. Mr. Stone said of his trip:

Our information came first from Minneapolis, Minnesota, where we found that the young man was Tascott, and we lost no time in going to Winnipeg. Description of the young man working in a timber camp there is thus in sight in about \$10,000,000 bushels more than will be required for food and seed until the fall. The market for grain is at present \$14.75 tons weekly March 1, against about \$15.20 last year. The market for barley is \$12.00 bushels, and for oats \$11.00 bushels. Government report showing 120,000,000 bushels of wheat in farmers' hands is reported by operators as an argument for lower prices, but the market is still strong. The market for corn is thus in sight in about \$10,000,000 bushels more than will be required for food and seed until the fall. The market for grain is at present \$14.75 tons weekly March 1, against about \$15.20 last year. The market for barley is \$12.00 bushels, and for oats \$11.00 bushels.

The latest news from the interior almost uniformly indicates some improvement in business, though the complaints of slow collection of debts are as numerous as ever.

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The national weather crop bulletin for the week ending Saturday, March 16, 1889, says:

The conditions in Dakota and Minnesota have been about the average for plowing and seeding, but work was interrupted in Dakota by blizzards.

The weather has been favorable in Illinois, Missouri, and Kansas. Seeding conditions are favorable in Nebraska. What is reported as done in the winter is not yet known.

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